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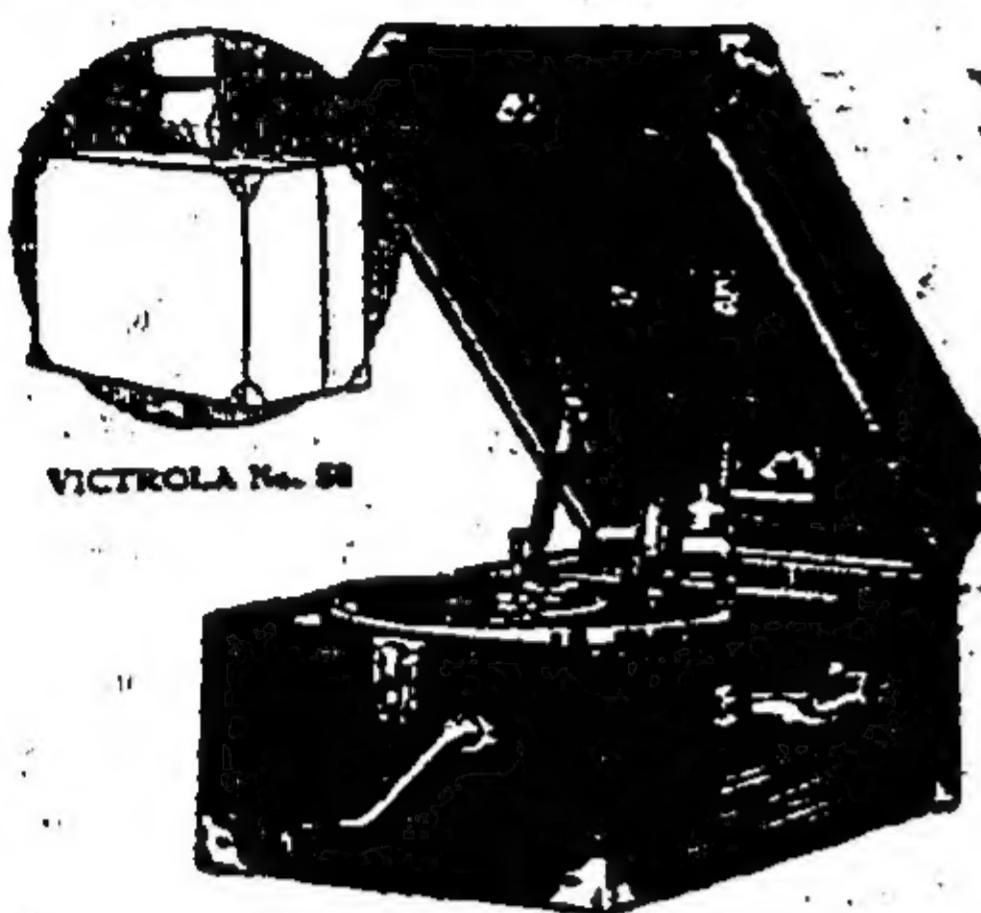
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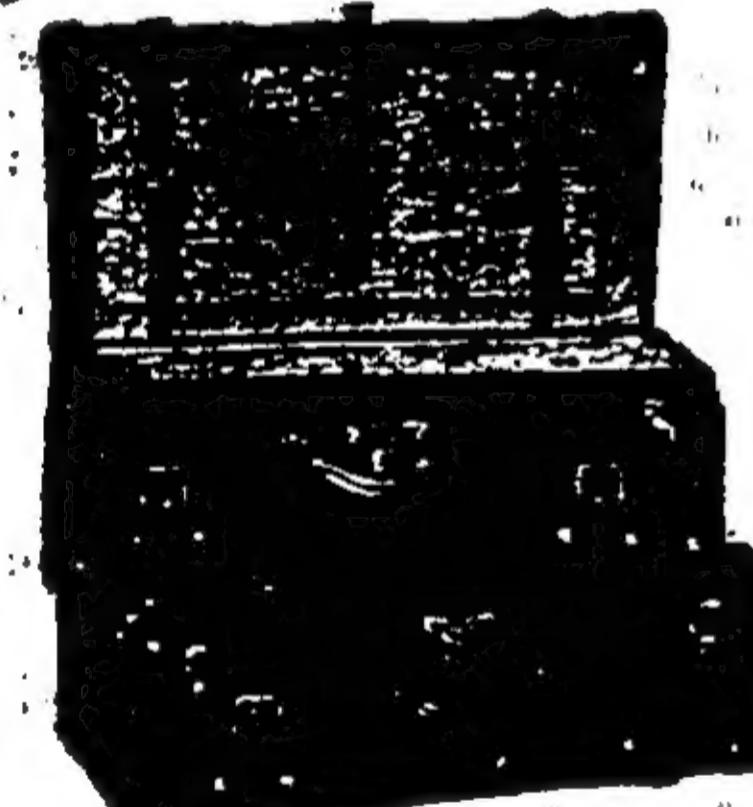
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REPARATIONS DEADLOCK

FRANCE STILL A FLY IN THE AMBER.

PARIS, June 7.

The majority of the Reparations Commission voted in favour of extending the powers of the Bankers' Committee. France alone opposed the extension. As a unanimous vote of the commission is necessary to cancel any part of the indemnity under the Treaty of Versailles the deadlock apparently continues.

THE QUESTION SETTLED.

PARIS, June 7.

According to a statement from an authoritative French source the question of an international loan to Germany was settled to-day when the French delegate on the reparations commission intimated that the French Government adhered to its refusal to grant the request of the international bankers' committee for fuller powers regarding the reduction of the German indemnity as a condition for sanctioning a loan to Germany.

BANKERS TO MEET AGAIN TO-DAY.

PARIS, June 8.

Communications between the bankers' committee and the reparations commission regarding the loan to Germany show that the former sought elucidation of the wording of the payments schedule in the Versailles treaty and at the same time submitted that it was free to examine solutions implying modifications thereof. The commission, replying, agreed that suggestions on these lines without pledging the commission's responsibilities, would prove most valuable. France, though the sole dissenter, agreed that the commission's decision was valid and the bankers' committee was at liberty to pursue deliberations in accordance with it. The committee meets again to-day to consider the situation created by the commission's reply.

RUBBER INDUSTRY.

POSITION FULLY DISCUSSED.

London, June 1.

The Dutch Government representative Dekruijff has returned to Holland after fully discussing the position of the rubber industry with the Colonial Office. The matter is now being further considered at the Hague. Further developments are expected towards the end of June.

NEXT RUBBER EXHIBITION.

London, June 7.

The sixth International Exhibition of rubber and other tropical products and allied industries will be held in Brussels in April 1924.

THE MONSOON ARRIVES.

SINGAPORE, June 7.

The monsoon has arrived. The first rains were weak and short.

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA AND UKRAINE SIGN TREATY

PRAGUE, June 7.

The treaty between Czechoslovakia and Ukraine has been signed.

THE IRISH ELECTIONS.

London, June 7.

It is anticipated that many of the forty-seven non-coalition candidates for the Irish elections who were nominated yesterday will withdraw before polling day.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/6 15/16
To-day's opening rate 2/6 13/16

SENSATIONAL TRIAL IN GERMANY.

STARTLING REVELATIONS EXPECTED.

BERLIN, June 7.

A trial which is expected to produce startling revelations concerning secret monarchist organisations in Germany opened at Offenburg to-day when an ex-naval Commander named Von Killinger was charged with complicity in the murder of the former Finance Minister Herr Esberger who signed the Armistice on behalf of Germany. The accused, as a member of the notorious Ehrhardt brigade, participated in the Kapp and Putzsch affaires. He was among the German naval officers at Seps Flaw. It is expected that the trial will throw light on other political murders since the Armistice.

Witnesses to the number of nearly one hundred will be called. The Judge, at the outset of the proceedings, warned the jury not to be influenced by any political consideration. The court is strongly guarded in consequence of rumours of an attempt at the liberation of the prisoner who is a leading member of a powerful secret organisation.

SOVIET AND THE CHURCH.

REPLY TO BRITISH CHURCHMEN'S PROTEST.

LONDON, June 7.

The Soviet Government replying to the protest from the leaders of British churches denies that it attacked the Church and says it only prosecuted individuals including the Patriarch, on account of their resistance to the Soviet's measures to save the lives of thousands of millions. It deplores that English churchmen should express solidarity not for the starving masses but for a insignificant number of Russian churchmen who were always abettors of the Tsar nobility and bureaucracy. The Archimandrite Canterbury replied refusing to withdraw any of his statements but in view of the Soviet's explicit demands requests permission to send a representative delegation of British churches to examine the situation.

UNEMPLOYED AT HOME.

STILL MORE THAN A MILLION.

LONDON, June 7.

The unemployed in Britain on May 29, numbered 1,471,600. It is the first time for over a year that the figure has fallen below a million and a half. The number was over two million in June last year.

LEVI'S ILLNESS.

GERMAN SPECIALIST RECALLED.

BERLIN, June 7.

Klemperer, the specialist who recently attended Lenin has been urgently summoned to Moscow, suggesting that Lenin's condition is more serious than is shown by statements from Moscow.

OLYMPIAN GAMES.

ORGANISATION FOR 1924 PROCEEDING.

PARIS, June 7.

The French Olympia Committee has unanimously resolved to proceed with the organization of the 1924 games.

BANK ROBBERY.

BIG REWARD OFFERED.

A big reward of \$2,000 plus 10 per cent of whatever money recovered, has been offered for information which will lead to the arrest of the person or persons concerned in the Yokohama Specie Bank robbery during the Whitsun holidays when a cask box in the strongroom was broken open and \$128,000 stolen.

There is no doubt much more substantial advances will be required to put values on a profitable basis. India has again been much in evidence, the demand covering grey and white striped goods and also prints. China has shown rather more interest. The Continent continues to buy, and also South America. The Near East should be enough business forth, and Singapore have done a small trade.

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Public Auctions

Underwriters have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY, June 9, 1922, commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, 2,400 yards of conductor Submarine Telephone Cable, 2 conductor Submarine Telephone Cable, 200 yards of conductor Submarine Telephone Cable, 42 feet Klamath Petroleum Hose, 12 feet Seal Back Steam Hose, 2 cases Lighting Fixture, 40 Cartons Wall Receptacles, 10 Pairs Terms—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers, Hongkong, June 6, 1922.

FRIDAY, June 9, 1922, commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, 10 cases Copal Varnish, 5 cases White Drier, 5 cases Copper Paint, 50 drums Quick drying paints in white, black, grey, red and brown, 25 drums Boiled Oil, 10 drums Black Varnish, 19 drums Linseed Oil, 30 drums Pale Boiled Oil, 25 drums Turpentine, 25 drums Anti-corrosive paint, 25 drums Anti-fouling paint, 22 kegs White Lead, 500 kegs White Zinc, 65 kegs Brown Paint, 8 cases Antimony Oxide. Terms—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers.

MONDAY, June 12, 1922, commencing at 11 a.m. at the China Hospital God. Wm. Stanley Town, 17 Steel Pipe, 70 lengths Galvanized Iron Pipes, 24 coils Iron Wire Rope, 60 Jars, 200 kgs. Ropes, 200 kgs. Zinc and Nails, 38 lbs. Farm Boxes (600 lbs.), 8 cases Petrol Lubricants. ALSO A Quantity of Roofing (Positive Seal Felt, Asphalt, White Stone, Saturated Felt, and Insulated Felt). Terms—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers.

MONDAY, June 12, 1922, commencing at 2.45 p.m. at No. 8 Gordon Terrace, Kowloon, A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture, (full particulars from catalogue, Also One Cottage Piano in good condition. On view from Saturday, 10th June. Terms—Cash on delivery.

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SUBJECT TO RESERVE PRICE, The following valuable leasehold properties in five lots.

Lot 1. Burial Building Lot No. 172 a building site a Repulse Bay.

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Lot 4. The Remaining Portion of Section B of Island Lot No. 1216 and No. 46, Robinson Road situate thereon.

Lot 5. Island Lot No. 2133 and No. 11, Broadwood Road situate thereon. Particulars and Conditions of Sale can be obtained from Messrs. Deacon, Locker, Deacon and Harston.

No. 1, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong. Solicitors for the Executor or from Messrs. LAMMERT BROS., The Auctioneers, Hongkong, June 2, 1922.

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WIFE'S JEERS AT DUPED HUSBAND.

"YOU IGNORANT SIMP."

"Ha! ha! ha! What a fool you are! I hate you! Never want to cast eyes on you as long as I live. Americans won't have anything to do with such an ignorant simp as you. This extract from a woman's letter to her husband was read when in the Divorce Court before Mr. Justice Horridge. Mr. Wilfred Stanford-Samuel petitioned for the dissolution of his marriage, "alleging the misconduct of his wife Grace with a man cited as Dan Tannen, and said to have died in the United States."

Mr. Stanford-Samuel said he was a retired Army captain, and was at present a theatrical manager. His wife was an American and he married her at the Register Office, Paddington, in November 1913. He had corresponded with her about two years before the marriage. They lived in Maids-vaile, W.

Mr. Cotes-Predy, his counsel: How long after you were married did you wife insist on occupying a separate room?—During the whole of the time?

How long did you live with your wife altogether?—About six weeks. Mr. Stanford-Samuel said he gave her money to pay a visit to America. She said she was not going to live with him. Later he received a letter from her dated February 1, 1914, and written in the s.s. "Canadian."

"MY GAME."

"Thanks, old fellow, for the pleasant little journey, and return to America. You are quite an easy mark after all for a woman's fun. I am not returning home, as you all thought, but going to meet a gentleman friend of mine whom I love with all my heart and soul. We meet in New York and will tour the world together. That's my game."

"This has been framed up for some time, so now you can get your divorce, for if you don't I will. There is lots of sweetness and love in me, but only for the right man, not you."

"The above was done only to use as a blind to play my game to get away.

"Ha! ha! ha! What a fool you are! I hate you! Never want to cast eyes on you again, as long as I live. Don't ever come to America. Americans won't have anything to do with such an ignorant simp as you."

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Electric Reading Lamps, Screens, Sundry Blackwood Furniture, Chairs, Cabinets, Pictures, &c.

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Public Works Department, Hongkong, June 6, 1932.

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BIRTH

McGREGOR.—On June 1, at Dr. Fearn's Sanatorium, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Macgregor, a daughter.

MARRIAGE

HUDEC-MEYER.—On June 1, at the German Church, Shanghai, by Pastor Mueller, Laszlo Edward Hudec to Gisela Isabel Meyer, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Th. Meyer of Shanghai.

DEATH

MORAN.—On May 28 at Changsha, Kate Agnes Moran, widow of the late John Moran, Indian Public Works Department and Tientsin-Pukow Railway, Nanking. Aged 62.

The China Mail
TRUTH, JOURNAL, PUBLIC SERVICE

SINGAPORE, THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1922

ROWING ROUND OUR ISLAND

On Saturday Mr. D. Logan rowed eight round our island in an outrigger skiff, accomplishing the record task in something like seven hours. He went east, overrunning the tricky currents of Lyemun and the waters immediately beyond in the earlier hours of his journey. The sea was calm of course, or otherwise he would not have attempted thefeat. The story of it was told in our paper on Tuesday. Our purpose is not to repeat it, but to comment on it, as other people have been doing. For instance, we have heard it described as

BRICKS.

To-day we print the result of investigations by our reporting staff, concerning the brick shortage. The shortage is real enough, and seriously felt, despite the reporter's surprising discovery that the imports have been larger than normal. That the demand is abnormal seems likely enough. Rebuilding alone will account for much of it, and the new buildings under way or projected are unusually numerous. There has been keen competition even for second-hand bricks, those salvaged from buildings coming down to make way for new ones. The shortage has been the subject of much talk in town, and as might have been expected, various wrong guesses at the cause or causes were being made. One suggestion was some inland trickery in the matter of kiln or transit tax, for which no evidence is forthcoming. Another plausible one was the disturbed state of the hinterland, the idea being that the brick-makers were not finding it comfortable to carry on their industry with so many soldiers and/or bandits about. This rumour seems to be sufficiently disposed of by the official disclosure that the imports of bricks have increased in quantity. The defects in quality, both as to size, regularity, and texture, are matters of common complaint, and may be attributed to misguided attempts of the limited and conservative brick-making plants to cope with the rush of orders. Because it seems to be a thing beyond doubt that Hongkong is ordering vast quantities of bricks, and asking for them to be delivered on the road. That being so, the jump in prices need not further explanation. How long would it take to get a local brick manufacturer going on an adequate scale? If not too long, there is big money awaiting the enterprise of someone.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

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CHINA COAST.

LATEST SHIPPING CHANGES.

Mr. J. Taylor, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Kansu."

Mr. A. N. Taylor, chief officer, "Kansu," is on leave.

Captain J. Mathias, of the "Human," is on reserve.

Captain A. McDowell, of the "Chengtu," has gone master, "Human."

Captain A. R. McEachran, from reserve, has gone master, "Chengtu."

Mr. T. O'Connor, from reserve, has gone supply second officer, "Kanchow."

Mr. W. E. Liley, chief officer, "Kanchow," has gone chief officer, "Kalgan."

Mr. R. Haynes, chief officer, "Kalgan," has gone chief officer, "Kanchow."

Mr. A. C. Pearce, second officer, "Foochow," is on reserve.

Mr. G. Russell, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Foochow."

Mr. A. Fulkingham, chief officer, "Shantung," is on reserve. Mr. J. W. Tunson, from leave, has gone chief officer, "Shantung."

Mr. J. R. Nibet, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Kinchuan."

Mr. J. P. Gibson, chief officer, "Kinchuan," is on reserve. Mr. F. Scott, chief officer, "Sui-tai," has gone chief officer, "Kinchuan."

Mr. G. S. Brown, second officer, "Kinchuan," has gone acting chief officer, "Hounan."

Mr. A. Allison, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Kinchuan."

Mr. J. Symington, chief engineer, "Hounan," has gone chief engineer, "Kinchuan."

Mr. H. C. Tidbury, chief engineer, "Kinchuan," has gone chief engineer, "Hounan."

Mr. A. Buchanan, from reserve, has gone chief engineer, "Chusan."

Mr. A. Hamilton, chief engineer, "Shantung," is on reserve.

Mr. A. Joces, chief engineer, "Wuchang," has retired. Mr. G. H. Jones, from reserve, has gone chief engineer, "Wuchang."

Mr. H. Mackay, third engineer, "Wangpu," has gone supply engineer, "Kanchow."

Mr. W. J. Gordon, third engineer, "Ningpo," has gone third engineer, "Wangpu."

Mr. I. Robertson, from reserve, has gone supply second engineer, "Lung-chow."

Mr. G. Stewart, acting second engineer, "Suiyang," has gone second engineer, "Ningpo."

Mr. D. Alkman, from reserve, has gone chief engineer, "Ningpo."

Mr. J. Grady, third engineer, "Hanyang," has gone second engineer, "Lung-chow."

Mr. J. W. Raymond, third engineer, "Ho-lou," has gone third engineer, "Hanyang."

Mr. J. L. Crickshanks, second engineer, "Yingchow," has gone second engineer, "Fat-hoi."

Mr. J. E. Haig, second engineer, "Wuhu," has gone second engineer, "Yingchow."

Captain R. J. McClelland, of the "Wosang," has resigned.

Captain G. S. Holmwood, from reserve, has gone master, "Wosang."

Captain J. V. Simon, of the "Hosang," is on reserve.

Captain M. Courtney, from leave, has gone master, "Hosang."

Mr. J. F. Nicholl, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Hosang."

Mr. E. Robinson, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Hosang."

Mr. S. E. Firth, from reserve, has gone third officer, "Hosang."

Mr. D. H. Davidson, third engineer, "Choyang," has resigned.

Mr. A. Lockhart, from leave, has gone third engineer, "Choyang."

Mr. A. T. Mason, supply second engineer, "Kwongang," has signed off.

SIX MONTHS FCH SNATCHER.

When the case in which a Chinese

and to have been the "Private Secretary of an ex-Civil Governor of Canton" was charged with having been concerned with another in the kidnapping of a Hongkong schoolboy, the son of a solicitor's clerk, was again before the Court yesterday, Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, solicitor for the prosecution, applied for an adjournment which was granted until Friday.

According to the case for the prosecution which had already been outlined, the boy was held for ransom in the interior of China for \$40,000, and when negotiations with the boy's parents had failed, a letter was alleged to have been sent to the father threatening to cut off one of the boy's ears and send it to him, giving as a reminder if things were not settled within a given period.

TELEPHONE CHARGES.

HON. MR. A. R. LOWE'S QUESTIONS IN THE COUNCIL.

At this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council the Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe asked the following questions about the recent increase in telephone charges:

1.—In view of the one month's notice given by the China and Japan Telephone & Electric Co., Ltd., to increase the rates charged to its subscribers (in the case of business lines by 50 per cent.) have these new charges been sanctioned by the Government; and, if so, will the Government lay on the table the papers on which their decision was based?

2.—Will the Government explain how much of the proposed increase is justified by higher working costs, and how much by rental on heavy expenditure (in the Company's own words) "about to be undertaken for the erection of a new Central Exchange, and new Central Battery installation," and why it should be held justifiable for subscribers to pay such increased rates before the improvements have been completed or any material expenditure incurred?

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S REPLY.

The Colonial Secretary replied as follows:

The question of the Telephone Company's rates has been the subject of protracted negotiations between the Company and the Government.

The present agreement runs for a period of twenty-five years from 1905. Previous to that year the rate was \$100 for the first mile of the distance from the telephone to the exchange and \$25 for each additional half mile, and under the 1905 agreement the figures were put into sterling at \$10 and \$2.10, the exchange value of which was at the time higher than the former dollar rates.

During the war the exchange of the dollar rose very considerably and the Company's receipts in terms of dollars were seriously diminished. The Company accordingly asked permission to

make a large increase in their charges, but the Government was not prepared to make any concession, except on the condition that the Company would agree to install an up-to-date system on the most modern method.

Terms were discussed and figures were gone into at great length, but it was found impossible to arrive at an agreement. The Government finally suggested a conference with Mr. P. H. Cole, General Manager of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company and Mr. W. W. Cook, Consulting Telephone Engineer of London, as expert advisers to itself and the Company respectively. This conference was recently held, with most satisfactory results. Mr. Cole and Mr. Cook were in close agreement in many respects, and where they differed they gave full explanations of the grounds upon which they differed, with the consequence that the Government is now in a position to come to a definite decision as to what are fair terms to offer.

The Draft Agreement containing the Government's proposals has not yet been placed before the Company, where have however been informal discussions regarding it, and the Company has been permitted to advertise the rates proposed under it on the understanding that the rates will not come into force until the agreement is signed. The agreement when signed will be laid upon the table of this Council. It is not proposed to lay any other papers in view of the confidential nature of much of the information contained in the correspondence.

With regard to the latter part of the Honourable Member's question, the Government is advised that a capital of some \$3,500,000 would be required to install an entirely new telephone system on modern lines, and, if the Government's terms are such that the existing Company cannot see its way to accept them, the community must contemplate a rapidly deteriorating service until 1930, and thereafter rates, to be charged by a new Company, at least as high as those now proposed. It is considered necessary to permit the Company to charge the new rates forthwith, in order that it may be in a

position to raise new capital required and to meet the general increase in expenditure which has taken place since the present rates were introduced. The incidence of the increase between working costs and new capital expenditure cannot be accurately estimated.

It may be pointed out that the radius within which the minimum rate is charged has been considerably extended. A subscriber on the outskirts of Victoria for example, who in 1904 paid \$1.50, is now to pay \$1.40 or \$1.54 according as he has a private or a business telephone.

RENTS ORDINANCE.

WARNING TO LANDLORDS.

SPEECH BY H.E. THE GOVERNOR.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council this afternoon.

The Attorney General moved the second reading of an Ordinance to extend temporarily the provisions of the Rent Ordinance 1921 with certain amendments.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Mr. H. W. Bird said advantage had been taken of "domestic building." What happened was that a tenant of a factory or godown had only to put in a couple or so watchmen to make it a domestic building.

He thought another proviso should be introduced to make this impossible.

The Hon. Mr. Parr, congratulated the Government on extending the ordinance for another year. He asked that the Government should provide areas of building land with cheap and easy means of access and offering further inducements to builders to erect houses and domestic tenements.

His Excellency thought that the suggestion of Mr. Bird should go to committee.

Regarding Mr. Parr's remarks His Excellency said that he made it perfectly clear before the Ordinance was introduced and subsequently, that this was a form of legislation he regarded with great distrust and dislike.

The Government was forced to take action to restrain rents, but it was an offence to good economic doctrine and he would be extremely glad when the time came that they could dispense with the legislation.

If it was to become permanent they would have to introduce a Fair Rents Tribunal, which they had shirked from doing for obvious reasons up to the present. Indications were that this law would not be necessary for more than another year because there was a great deal of building going on. There was no question that it was easier to obtain European houses than in 1920.

His Excellency continued "I should like to make it perfectly clear that although I dislike it, if any attempt is made at the cessation of the law to go back to the system of increases which existed before I shall have no hesitation in sinking my personal feelings, and I would further say to a certain class of landlords in this Colony that if authentic cases are brought before me in which people have been informed that they had better agree with the landlord quickly and pay rent above the standard, otherwise it would be increased when the law ceased, I shall have no hesitation in getting the law into operation or taking other steps to get home on these landlords. That I mention as a warning to certain landlords in this Colony."

The Bill was read a second time.

The Bill went into Committee and passed with the exception of Clause 2 which is being further considered.

TYphoon WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was received by the local American Consulate General from the Manila Observatory at 11:00 a.m. to-day:

Cyclone or typhoon near or over Bashi Channel moving E.N.E.

While returning from India by the mail steamer "China," Lieut.-Col. George Hewett, D.S.O., of the Indian Army died at sea from pneumonia and malarial fever at the age of 41.

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Parcels will be received at this Office until 3 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

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Hongkong, June 8, 1922.

TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

ALL preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, lectures and entertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the China Mail, are charged for at the rate of \$1 each, (as announced in May and June of last year) providing that they do not occupy more than four lines. In future if this space is exceeded they will be placed in the advertising columns at the prevailing rates.

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THE "FUKWO."

The Home Newspapers have announced the fact that the Metropolitan-Vickers Company have recently received from the New Zealand Government the order for Generators and Switchgear for the New Mangahao Power Station. This station forms the first in a series dotted throughout the whole of the North Island which will finally be linked up by transmission lines at 110,000 volts, roughly forming a ring round the southern portion of the Island. A duplicate line will also be run from the centre of the system up the Northern Peninsula. From Mangahao station two sets of duplicate feeders will be run at present, these going respectively to the Bannythorpe station 25 miles distant and to the city of Wellington 63 miles away.

The order placed with M. V. included the supply of three 5000 K. V. A. and two 3000 K. V. A. Water Wheel Generators, 11,000 Volts, 3-phase, 50 cycles, .8 power factor, driven by overhanging water wheels with horizontal shaft running at 375 r.p.m. Each Generator will have its own direct driven exciter and in addition provision is being made for a standby motor-driven Exciter set so that when necessary the excitation of one or more Generators can be transferred to the auxiliary exciter bus.

Cooling air for the Generators will be drawn through a separate ventilation tunnel, circulation being maintained partly by a separate blower and partly by the usual fans on the rotor, the blower being designed to keep 2 inches pressure. The generators are designed for an overspeed of 80 per cent and will have a regulation of 27 percent at .8 power factor. Provision will be made for sliding the stators so as to facilitate access to the rotor when necessary for inspection and cleaning work.

The current from the Generators will be taken through automatic Oil Switches of the M. V. "HFB" type through selector switches to duplicate 11,000 volt bus-bars. Both bus-bars will be sectionalised in the middle and this sectionalising is carried out correspondingly on the 11,000 volt bus so that the whole system can if necessary be split into two entirely independent portions. From the generating voltage bus-bars supply will be taken through two 12,000 K.V.A. Transformer Banks to the 11,000 volt bus-bars and thence to the four outgoing 110 K. V. feeders. There will be four local feeders at 11,000 volts. The 11,000 volt equipment will be located in a conventional moulded stone cubicle structure. The E. H. T. switched for controlling the Transformer sides will be indoors while the Isolating Switches, Oil Circuit Breakers and Lighting Arresters for the feeder Circuits will be accommodated on the roof of the power station. In this way the total ground space occupied is kept down to the minimum.

There will be seven 400 amp 3 pole 6.11 type 110,000 volt electrically operated oil switches, the control circuit being operated from M.V. standard type of control desk.

Each Generator and Transformer Unit will be protected by the usual circuit breaker system while on the 110,000 volt feeder there will be fitted the new M.V. compensated overload relay which is designed to give an inverse operating time characteristic with a definite justable minimum. In addition the pairs of feeders will be protected by balanced biased relays, which will operate in the event of the failure or short circuiting of either feeders.

This order marks a definite period in the history of Switchgear development in this country in that it is the first placed for British built material for so high a voltage.

News has reached Hongkong of the death at home on May 27, of an old resident of the Colony, Mr. Thomas Blair, who for 28 years was employed by the China Sugar Refinery Company. The late Mr. Blair left the Colony five years ago on retirement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

CORRESPONDENCE ON VARIOUS TOPICS.

The Secretary of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce has sent us for publication the following correspondence recently dealt with by the Chamber.

PRODUCE BROKER'S AWARDS.

Letter from the Exporters' Assn. with enclosure.

Hongkong, 28th April, 1922.
The Secretary,

Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, Hongkong.

Dear Sir.—I am directed by my Committee to enclose for your information copy of a letter addressed to this Association by one of its members dealing with the question of Arbitration Awards under the auspices of the General Produce Brokers' Association of London.

The complaint, with which my Committee is in full sympathy, states that the information set out in the award is much too vague, and I am asked to place the matter before your Chamber with the view to having representations made to the "Far Eastern Section" London Chamber of Commerce in an endeavour to induce the General Produce Brokers' Association of London to give "reasons" for allowances granted under these so called "arbitrations", on the ground that it is neither equitable to the shipper nor helpful to the trade that no particulars are given to show in what respect a shipment fails to conform to contract guarantee.

My Committee urge that it be most strongly impressed upon the G.P.B.A. that their methods are a hindrance rather than a help to exporters here who are as anxious to ensure good deliveries as their buyers in London but who cannot take any steps to eradicate faults if arbitrators will persistently refuse to bring same to their notice.

My Committee will also be glad if you will furnish the Association of British Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai with copies of the correspondence as it is understood Shanghai Shippers are similarly dissatisfied with the treatment they are receiving at the hands of the General Produce Brokers' Association.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

Enclosures were laid on the table.

Chamber's letter to London Chamber.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1922.
The Secretary,
Far Eastern Section,
London Chamber of Commerce,
London.

Dear Sir.—I am directed by my Committee to bring to the notice of your Chamber the need for definite particulars of complaint in Arbitration Awards made under the auspices of the General Produce Brokers' Association of London copies of correspondence on which subject including a letter of complaint from a local export firm regarding a shipment of Preserved Ginger are enclosed for your information.

My Committee seeks the valuable support of your Chamber in urging upon the General Produce Brokers' Association of London the need for giving "reasons" under these arbitrations, as unless definite particulars are given it is difficult for shippers here to investigate and rectify causes of complaint which they are at all times anxious to do.

It may be that, in some cases, the fault is "inferior quality" and it would be a useful guide to shippers here, in this instance, if the Produce Brokers' Association would give a ruling as to what, in their opinion, constitutes "fair average quality" in respect of Preserved Ginger.

My Committee will much appreciate it if you will kindly take this matter up with the General Produce Brokers' Association of London and advise this Chamber regarding the result of your efforts.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

Chamber's Letter to the Association of British Chamber of Commerce in China and Hongkong, Shanghai.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1922.
The Secretary,
Association of British Chambers of Commerce in China and Hongkong, Shanghai.

Dear Sir.—I am directed by my Committee to enclose correspondence with reference to a complaint from an exporter here that Arbitration Awards of the General Produce Brokers' Association of London contain nothing to guide shippers as to what constitutes "fair average quality."

As it is understood that similar difficulties have been experienced by Far Eastern exporters in other Ports, it is hoped that your Chamber will associate itself with the Hongkong

General Chamber of Commerce in representations to the Far Eastern Section of the London Chamber of Commerce on the subject.

A copy of this Chamber's letter to the London Chamber is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

SHAPTESBURY HOMES AND "ARETHUSA" TRAINING SHIP.

Letter from the Secretary, appealing for a special contribution.

164, Shaftesbury Avenue,
London, W. C. 2.

21st March, 1922.

Dear Sir.—The Committee are faced to close down some portion of their work in consequence of the post-war cost of maintenance. To have to do this would be a calamity. The hope is expressed that in our hour of need you may be able to make us a special contribution. The Society's long record of labour during 79 years on behalf of helpless and bereaved boys and girls has not so far been marred by any curtailment, and to save the situation the Committee now made an urgent appeal for special substantial aid.

It is sought to raise £25,000 or, say, 100,000 Crowns, and any gift you can make towards this desirable end will be greatly appreciated and promptly acknowledged.

Any assistance which your directorate or staff can send us will be greatly appreciated.

I am,
Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) H. G. COPELAND,
Secretary.

The Manager,
The Chamber of Commerce,
Hongkong.

Chamber's reply.
29th May, 1922.

H. G. Copeland Esq.,
Secretary,
The Shaftesbury Homes and
Arthusa Training Ship,
164, Shaftesbury Avenue,
London, W. C. 2.

Dear Sir.—With reference to your letter of the 21st March making an appeal for support towards the maintenance of the Shaftesbury Homes and Arthusa Training Ship my Committee at its last monthly meeting decided to make a donation from this Chamber of 10 guineas and I now have pleasure in enclosing the demand draft for this amount against which I shall be glad to receive your receipt in due course.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

BRITISH TRADE SHIP.

Letter from the British Trade Ship, Limited.

12, Grosvenor Gardens,
London, S.W.1.

28th February, 1922.

The Secretary,
British Chamber of Commerce,
Hongkong.

Dear Sir.—In view of the interest you have displayed in our scheme for a World Tour of the British Trade Ship and the correspondence you have had with us on the subject, we wish to take the earliest opportunity of advising you that our Directors at their last meeting had under consideration the programme for the World Tour.

The Directors have given serious consideration to the economic conditions existing throughout the World at the present time, the financial position of many of the important manufacturing firms in the country and the very slight signs existing at the present time of a substantial recovery in trade, and taking all these matters into account and in view of their desire that the World Tour shall be carried out at time and in circumstances which shall be in every respect the most favourable for the exhibition on the ship, they have decided that the project shall be postponed for a time. In coming to this decision they are also influenced by the recently announced postponement of the British Empire Exhibition.

It is hoped to despatch the Trade Ship in 1924 instead of next year. We trust it will not be very long before we shall be able to apprise you again in the matter when we hope we shall be successful in securing your co-operation in the World Tour.

Yours faithfully,
British Trade Ship, Limited.
(Sd.) MAXWELL HUMES & CO.,
Commercial Managers.

Chamber's reply.
Hongkong, 29th May, 1922.
The Commercial Manager,
British Trade Ship, Limited,
12, Grosvenor Gardens,
London, S.W.1.

Dear Sir.—It is with regret my Committee learn of your decision to postpone the sailing date of the British Trade Ship until 1924 owing to the present world wide trade depression.

I am to state that arrangements are at present afoot in this Colony to hold an Industrial Exhibition during 1924 and it is hoped that the Trade Ship will be in Hongkong at the time when the Local Exhibition is running, probably about October.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

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HOUSE COLLAPSE.

CONTRACTORS GO FOE TRIAL.

The case against the four contractors and contractors' foremen, charged with manslaughter in connection with the recent verandah collapse at No. 27, Gage Street when one cooling woman was killed and two injured, was concluded at the Magistrate yesterday afternoon when Magistrate Fraser committed two of the accused to the Criminal Sessions.

A large number of witnesses gave evidence in the case, which occupied seven sittings to complete.

At the conclusion of evidence yesterday, the Crown Solicitor, M. H. K. Holmes, addressing the Magistrate said that he could not help thinking that at least two of the witnesses were not exactly honest, decidedly unsatisfactory in assisting the case for the prosecution. These two were the contractors' foremen who were

responsible for superintending the operations.

Mr. A. E. Hall reserved his defence the second and fourth defendants as the second was only the sub-contractor and the other was his foreman.

The two men who were committed are the principal contractor who sub-tend the contract to the second defendant, and his foreman, who was responsible for superintending the operations.

Mr. A. E. Hall reserved his defence to be in a position to prove that the contractors had taken precautions in carrying out the work of demolishing the building.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

(Continued from page 5.)

PROPOSED HONGKONG SHIPPING ASSOCIATION.

Reply from the London Chamber of Commerce.
1, 2 and 3, Oxford Court,
and 97, Cannon Street,
London, E.C. 4.

The Secretary,
Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, Chartered Bank Buildings,
Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

FAR EASTERN SECTION.
Dear Sir.—I duly received your cablegram as follows:—

"Proposed formation Hongkong Shipping Association kindly approach other Associations such as Liverpool and London Shipowners' Association view obtain from them such information and data as would assist drawing up rules and regulations meet local conditions, and mail immediately."

I at once placed myself in communication with various bodies with a view to collecting information which would be of assistance to you, and am sending you herewith copies of the Memorandum and Articles of the Shipowners' Association, Liverpool, and the last three Annual Reports of that body.

At the moment I would only say that I am hoping to have further papers for you which, of course, I shall immediately forward.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) CHARLES E. MUSGRAVE,
Secretary.

Enclosures handed to Mr.
Sutherland.

Chamber's letter to Mr. Sutherland,
Hongkong, 5th May, 1922.

R. SUTHERLAND, Esq.,
Chairman,
Hongkong Shipowners' Conference,
Hongkong.

Dear Sir.—With reference to the Proposed Hongkong Shipping Association, I have now pleasure to enclose herewith for your information copy of a letter received from the London Chamber of Commerce, enclosing as requested by me in my telegram of the 13th March copy of the Liverpool Shipowners' Association's Memorandum and Articles of Association together with Report of Annual Meetings of that Association for 1920-21-22.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) D. K. BLAIR,
Secretary.

Acknowledgment from Mr. Sutherland.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1922.

D. K. BLAIR, Esq.,
Secretary.

Hongkong Chamber of Commerce,
Hongkong.

Dear Sir.—I have to acknowledge your letter of to-day's date, enclosing me data regarding the proposed Shipowners' Association. The information provided will be of the greatest service to the Shipowners concerned, and on their behalf I have now to thank you for your valuable assistance in this connection.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) R. SUTHERLAND,
Chairman, Hongkong Shipowners' Committee.

TALLY-CLERKS' SETTLEMENT.

Letter from this Chamber's representative with copy of agreement.
Hongkong, 3rd May, 1922.

The Secretary,
Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, Present.

TALLY-CLERKS' ASSOCIATION.

Sir.—As representatives appointed by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce in the matter of the requests put forward by the above Association for increased pay, we beg to report that conferences were held under the presidency of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs on the 23rd and 30th March, 25th and 28th April, and 2nd May. The interval in the negotiations was due, first to the visit of the Prince of Wales, and, secondly, to the necessity for ascertaining whether the points raised by the Tallymen could be settled without conflicting with the negotiations then in progress with the Stevedores' Association. An agreement was signed to-day, one copy of which is attached for your files.

Our investigations disclosed that the scale of pay varied considerably with different Liners, that some provided food and others did not, and that some employers engaged their tally-men through Stevedores and others direct. Also it was not apparent that any increase in pay had been granted by the majority of employers for some years past.

The present average rate of pay, exclusive of food, worked out as near as could be ascertained at \$2.33 per day for Chief

Tally-clerks and \$1.82 per day for Tallymen. The Guild's original demands were for \$3.10 for Chief Tallyclerks and \$2.35 for Tallymen, representing about 33% in the case of the former and about 29% in the case of the latter. It may be said that, for each Chief Tallyclerk, from 3 to 6 Tallymen are engaged, dependent on the size of the vessel and number of the hands working.

It will be noted that the rates agreed on apply where Tallyclerks are engaged by employers direct. When engaged through a Stevedore, the practice has been for the latter to charge the men 25cts. per head per day.

It must be remembered that the above Association represents *casual* Tallymen only, a comparatively small body of men. Tallymen employed regularly on vessels, and paid by the month, (we are given to understand), come within the settlement recently effected with the Seamen's Union.

In conclusion we would like to record our appreciation of the valuable co-operation received from the representatives appointed by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and of the impartiality and patience exercised by the Hon. Mr. E. R. Halifax in arranging and presiding over our various meetings with the Guild's representatives.

We are Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) E. V. D. PARR.
(Sd.) G. M. DODWELL.

AGREEMENT.

TALLYCLERKS' ASSOCIATION.

The arrangement set out below made between Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Mr. G. M. Dodwell, Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Chau Yu Ting, Mr. Ip Lan Tsui, Chinese Chamber of Commerce; and An Cheuk Ming, Lam Wing Nin, fully empowered representatives of the Tallyclerks' Association.

In the presence of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs has been made to-day with reference to commercial interests alone and without pressure of any kind from the Government.

1.—6 a.m. to 6 p.m. with 2 hours off for meals shall count as 1 day.

6 p.m. to 12 m.m. with 1 hour off for meals shall count as 1 day.

12 m.m. to 6 a.m. with 1 hour off for meals shall count as 1 day.

2.—Employment for any fraction of a day shall be paid for as for a full day.

3.—The rates agreed upon are:

Head Tallyclerk \$3.10 per day
Tallyclerks 2.35 per day and these rates are to apply as from 1st April 1922.

4.—No payment in addition to these rates shall be made for meals.

Tallyclerks are at liberty to provide their own meals but a charge of 25 cents per meal shall be made if meals are provided by the Employer.

5.—These rates shall apply to direct engagement of Tallyclerks Commission payable to Stevedores in the event of engagement through them shall be a matter for the Employer.

6.—The Tallyclerks' Association guarantees that a proper standard of efficiency shall be maintained where direct engagement is effected through its agency.

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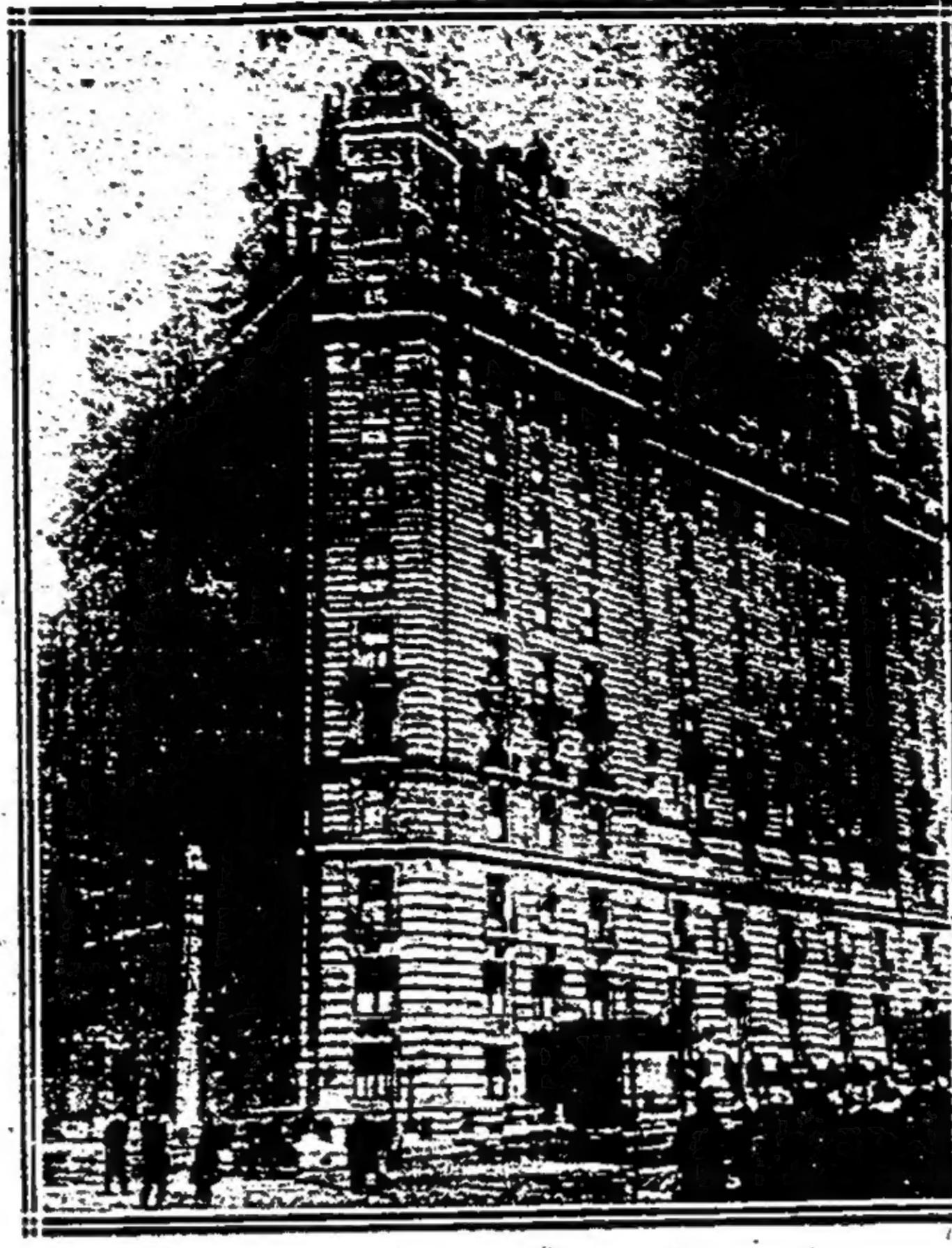
A few Soviet officials.



Almost human.



A lady amateur at aviation.



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Only 14, though she looks more, this girl, after two years swimming experience, has done 300 yards in 4 m. 11 s.



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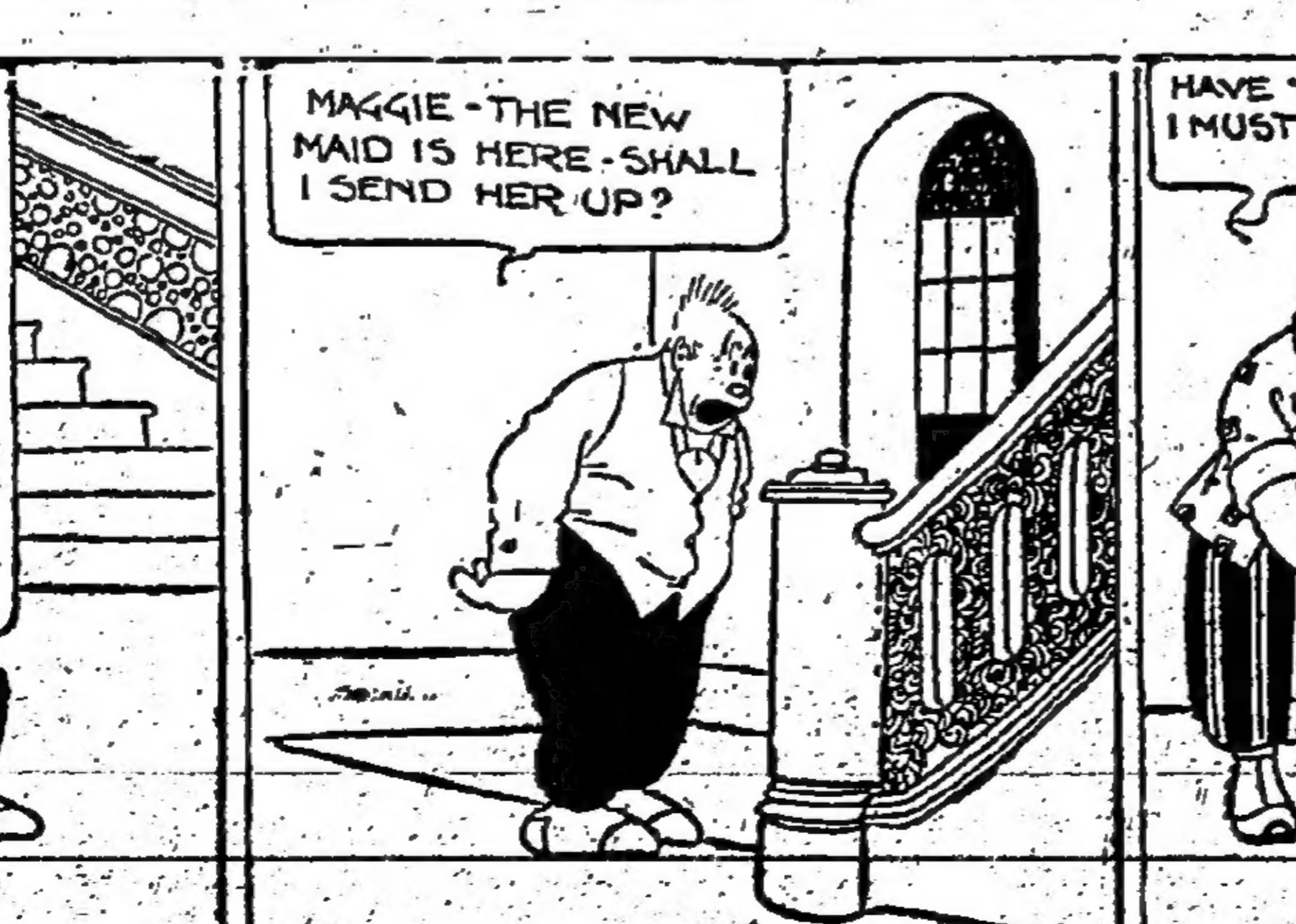


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